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MEMORANDUM TO: Prosecution Section (Report No. 174)
THRU: Executive Officer, War Crimes Branch
SUBJECT: Executions at Calbayog, Samar, P.I. in July, 1943.

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II. SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE:

During the summer of 1943, twenty to forty Filipino men were arrested as suspected spies and investigated by the commanding officer of the garrison at Calbayog, Samar, P.I. Two or three weeks later five of the men were singled out for execution by the Commanding Officer, who stated that this action was by order of his Commander stationed at Catbalogan (R 1). The head of the Filipino Constabulary succeeded in obtaining the release of two of the men, but the other three were marched to a cemetery and lined up before three freshly dug graves. They were then shot by a firing squad, and their bodies tumbled into the graves. The execution occurred in the presence of the Japanese commanding officer (R 2, 4). One of the prisoners was only wounded, but he was killed with a bayonet by a Japanese medical sergeant (R 4).

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合衆國陸軍總司令部太平洋域戰犯部

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主 題 — 檢察部(報告一〇四號)
由 — 戰犯部庶務主任將校
題 — 一九四三年(昭和十八年)八月、アイリピン、サマル、カル
バヨに於ける死刑執行

ニ 證據概要

一九四三年(昭和十八年)夏、間、二乃至四〇名、アイリピン人がス
バ、嫌疑を逮捕され、アイリピン、サマル、カルバヨ守備隊長ヨ
リ取調べられた。二三週間後、その中、五名が隊長ヨリ死刑執行
せしむる爲に選出された。彼等の行為は、カトリックに在りて、彼、指揮
官、命令ヨリ拒んで陳べた。デアル。(R. 1) アイリピン、警官隊長
長、そのうち、二人、釋放を得るに成功したが、他三人、墓地に行
進せしめられ、新に掘られた墓穴、前に列せられた。その時、彼等、
射撃令隊ヨリ射殺せられ、屍体、墓穴、中ニ置かれた。死刑
執行、日本人隊長、面前に行はれた。(R. 2、4) 俘虜、人、唯
傷、イリピン人、日本人衛生軍曹ヨリ銃剣で止められ
た。(R. 4)

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